

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5658, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MS. SLAUGHTER OF NEW YORK AND
MR. POE OF TEXAS**

At the end of title VIII, add the following new section:

**1 SEC. 849. ADDITIONAL CONTRACTOR REQUIREMENTS AND
2 RESPONSIBILITIES RELATING TO ALLEGED
3 CRIMES BY OR AGAINST CONTRACTOR PER-
4 SONNEL IN IRAQ AND AFGHANISTAN.**

5 (a) REQUIREMENTS FOR DEFENSE CONTRACTORS.—
6 Not later than 90 days after the date of the enactment
7 of this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall develop require-
8 ments relating to covered offenses allegedly perpetrated by
9 or against contractor personnel in the case of defense con-
10 tractors performing covered contracts.

11 (b) SPECIFIC MATTERS COVERED.— The require-
12 ments developed under subsection (a) shall include the fol-
13 lowing:

14 (1) REPORTING REQUIREMENT.—A requirement
15 for defense contractors to report, in a manner pre-
16 scribed by the Secretary of Defense, covered offenses
17 allegedly perpetrated by or against contractor per-
18 sonnel.

1 (2) ASSISTANCE.—A requirement for defense
2 contractors to provide for victim and witness safety,
3 medical assistance, and psychological assistance in
4 the case of a covered offense. The Secretary of De-
5 fense shall prescribe regulations to carry out this
6 paragraph, and the regulations shall be in accord-
7 ance with regulations of the Department of Defense
8 relating to restricted reporting for sexual assaults.

9 (3) INFORMATION.—A requirement that the
10 contractor provide to all contractor personnel who
11 will perform work on the contract, before beginning
12 such work, information on the following:

13 (A) How and where to report an alleged
14 covered offense.

15 (B) Where to seek the assistance required
16 by paragraph (2).

17 (c) GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS.—Beginning not
18 later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of
19 this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall make publicly
20 available a numerical accounting of alleged covered of-
21 fenses reported under this section. The information shall
22 be updated no less frequently than quarterly.

23 (d) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

24 (1) COVERED CONTRACT.—The term “covered
25 contract”——

1 (A) means a contract with the Department
2 of Defense performed—

3 (i) in Iraq or Afghanistan; or

4 (ii) in any area designated by the Sec-
5 retary as being in support of the United
6 States mission in Iraq or Afghanistan; and

7 (B) includes—

8 (i) any subcontract at any tier under
9 the contract; and

10 (ii) any task order or delivery order
11 issued under the contract or such a sub-
12 contract.

13 (2) COVERED OFFENSE.—The term “covered
14 offense”, with respect to a covered contract, means
15 an offense under chapter 212 of title 18, United
16 States Code—

17 (A) that is a crime of violence (as defined
18 in section 16 of such title 18); and

19 (B) that is committed—

20 (i) by or against contractor personnel;
21 and

22 (ii) in geographic areas where the cov-
23 ered contract is performed.

24 (3) CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL.—The term
25 “contractor personnel” means any person per-

- 1 forming work under a covered contract, including in-
- 2 dividuals and subcontractors at any tier.

